

# BOLIVIA - PARAGUAY ROW TO LEAGUE

THE WEATHER  
San Francisco Bay Region

Fair and cool Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Moderate northwest winds.

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## ONE KILLED, EIGHT HURT IN CALIFORNIA STORM

### Heavy Damage Caused In S. F. By Rain, Gale

Although heavy rains, coupled with a lively gale, swept the state yesterday no heavy storm damage was reported in Richmond.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—One man was killed, eight persons were injured, plate glass windows were broken, trees were

knocked down and the fire department was called frequently in San Francisco today, during the rain falling heaviest.

A heavy snowstorm in the northern part of the state forced cancellation of the air mail schedule between Oakland and Medford, Ore.

The storm reached its height at 10 a.m. and during a five minute period, 18 of an inch of rain fell here, according to weather bureau records.

One man was killed when he stepped from a Washington street cable car that ran away because its brakes failed to work on slippery tracks.

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### Motorist Collides With Bridge, Jailed

MARTINEZ, Dec. 10.—Pleading guilty to a charge of recklessness, N. O. Doeppner, 31, salesman residing at 463 Oak avenue, Elkland, was sentenced to 200 days in the county jail by Justice of the Peace Frank Glass.

Doeppner was originally charged with driving while under the influence of liquor and pleaded guilty to a reduced charge. He was given the option of the jail sentence or a fine of \$200. He received the jail sentence when he

was unable to pay the fine. He intimated that he would pay the assessment.

He was arrested Sunday afternoon after his car had collided with a bridge near Rodeo, according to police report. Doeppner was treated at the county hospital for a gash on his chin. The arrest was made by Traffic Officer M. L. Barber, who claims he found a quantity of liquor in the car.

### Slayer Named In Crockett Inquest

A coroner's jury investigating the death of C. Flori, who was killed during a fight in a Crockett dance hall Nov. 10, held Giuseppe Terassi of Crockett to blame for the death. An inquest, presided over by Coroner Aubrey Wilson, was held yesterday afternoon in Martinez.

The jury found that "death was due to gunshot wounds inflicted Wilson presided."

### Graduation At High School Tomorrow

At a ceremony to be held tomorrow night at the Richmond high school auditorium 75 senior pupils at the school will receive their diplomas.

The graduation was originally scheduled for Thursday night but in account of the Chamber of Commerce meeting Thursday night the graduation exercises were

moved ahead a day.

Walter T. Helms, superintendent of city schools, will deliver the address of the night. The diplomas will be presented by Aubrey Wilson, president of the high school board.

During the ceremony a short program will be presented by the glee clubs and orchestra of the school.

### Stores To Close At 8 During Yule Season

To accommodate the crowds of shoppers and especially those employed during the daytime, Richmond merchants will keep their places of business open until 8 o'clock beginning Saturday. The stores will remain open every night from then until Christmas Eve.

Not only the Richmond shoppers taking advantage of the stock and prices of the local merchants, many are coming from Pinole, Vallejo and as far up country as Martinez to buy their gifts here according to Richmond merchants. Stock with as wide a variety

### Murder Farm Boy



### ANXIETY FOR KING GEORGE INCREASES AS HEART FAILS

LONDON, Dec. 11—(UPI)—An official at Buckingham Palace informed the United Press at 1:30 p.m. that "considerable anxiety prevailed" at the palace over King George's condition.

"It is understood the changed condition has not improved since the evening bulletin," he said.

"But considerable anxiety prevails." It is not anticipated that the doctors will be summoned again although there is a possibility of such step," Sir Stanhope Hewitt remained at the palace.

The king's fever persisted to day, causing grave anxiety for the condition of his heart.

Four physicians, who signed the bulletin issued at Buckingham Palace

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### CELTIC SHIP DOOMED, FEAR

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, Dec. 10—(UPI)—A futile attempt was made today to drag the White Star liner Celtic off the rocks at Pooches Point, near here. The tugs Godezee and Morscock and the British destroyer Sesame failed in their efforts to take the big ship in tow.

The Celtic's 253 passengers en route to London, were landed safely early today. They are expected to reach Liverpool Tuesday morning probably on a special steamer from Belfast or Dublin.

The Celtic still was on the rocks tonight with her bunkers, boiler room and after-holds flooded. Most of the crew of 412 men followed the passengers off the liner late tonight. Further efforts to tow the ship off the rocks will

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### Chicken Law Held Up By City Council

What is known as the "chicken and rabbit ordinance" was continued for two weeks by the council at its meeting last night as the members desire to make more stringent some of the provisions of the proposed measure.

It has been discovered that the 25 foot limit from dwellings in the present ordinance, will not cover more than one-third of the chicken roosts that now infest different parts of the city.

The club stated the street car company is stopping its cars in the middle of the crossing and it asks that the stops be made on either side of the crossing.

The matter was referred to City Manager J. A. McVittie.

### Stege Trolley Petition Again Before Council

The Stege Improvement club again last night petitioned the council that something ought to be done with street car traffic at Forty-seventh and Potrero, in order to avert accidents.

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### \$100,000 Placed In City Account

Complying with a new law which states the council must specify the amount of money to be deposited in "inactive accounts," the council adopted a resolution fixing the amount at \$100,000.

City Treasurer J. R. Vaughn will receive bids from the different banks as to the rate of interest they are willing to pay for the use of the money.

### Health Center Submits Report

According to the report of the Richmond Health Center filed with the council last night, there were 1317 persons who visited the institution last month, and there were 882 visits made to individuals at their homes.

### NORTHERN HIGHWAY CUTOFF FAVERED BY CITY COUNCIL

The council went on record last night as favoring the new highway entering the city of Richmond from the foot of tank farm hill, and joining Kearny street, which has been provided for by Supervisor Knott and the board of supervisors.

The need of the new highway is apparent to nearly everyone,

and will relieve the congestion of traffic that now exists and do away with many of the accidents that now occur.

The resolution adopted by the council reads as follows:

"WHEREAS, there has long existed a need for a boulevard by which travel on the State highway

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# SPORTS

## ROBERTS HURLS SAN PABLO TO VICTORY

**Local Soccer Players Lose In Fast Game**

Weakening in the second half of their game Sunday with the Neptune Beach team, the Richmond soccer team lost by a score of 4 to 1. In the first half of the game, the local team played the league leading Beachers off their feet and had them 1 to 0.

The Neptune scored four goals in the second half. As a result of the game, the Beach team is winner of the league title. The local team may play a postponed game Sunday with the San Leandro team.

Hurling a wonderful brand of ball, Roberts shut out the Morrow Garage team without a run and the San Pablo club took the old ball game by a score of 6 to 0.

Dagila, right fielder for the garmen was the only man who could hit Robert's offering, getting two doubles and a single.

Ridge Greenhouse and Patsy O'Rourke, formerly of the Johnson Clothiers made their first appearance with the San Pablos Sunday.

The box score:

		AB	R	H	E
Bernardo, ss.	4	2	1	1	
Greenhouse, tb.	3	1	0	0	
Whetzer, lf.	4	1	0		
McFoy, 3b.	3	2	2	0	
Seney, 2b.	3	0	2	0	
O'Rourke, cf.	3	0	1	0	
Kimb. rf.	3	0	1	0	
Gualdoni, c.	3	0	0	0	
Roberts, p.	3	1	0	0	
TOTALS.....	30	6	10	1	
MORROW GARAGE	AB R. H. E.				
Bertman, cf.	4	0	0	0	
Spranger, 1b; ss.	4	0	1	0	
Heater, lf.	3	0	0	0	
Dagila, rf.	4	0	3	0	
Silva, 2b.	3	0	0	0	
Asaro, 3b.	3	0	0	0	
Moore, p.	1b.	3	0	0	
Henry, c.	2	0	0	0	
Dolan, ss; p.	2	0	0	0	
TOTALS.....	20	0	4	0	
SUMMARY					

Struck out—By Roberts 6, Dolan 3. Bases on balls—Off Roberts 3, Moore, 4; Hit by pitched ball—Roberts, Dolan. Two-base hits—Bernardo, Whetzer, McCay, Kamb, Seney, Dagila (2). Double plays—Moore to Silva, Balk—Dolan. Umpire—Lumbrough.

## High Seniors Defeated By Varsity Five

The Richmond high seniors came yesterday lost to the varsity team of the school.

At the end of the first half the scoreboard read 14 to 11 in the seniors favor. Starting the second half the varsity started to improve and with Gordon sinking them from all angles of the court the score ended 2 to 22 in the varsity's favor. The lineup was:

Varsity—(28)—Viano 2, Christian Hall, 4, forwards; Page 4, Gordon 10, centers; Lane, Taylor, 2, Weeks 4, Neckel, guards.

Seniors—(22)—Craig 5, Myers 4, Puckett 4, forwards; Black 7, centers; Myers, 2, Damon, Bumgarner 4, guards.

## High Cagers To Play Crockett

The Richmond Union high school three basketball teams will mix with the Crockett high school cagers here tomorrow afternoon. This will be the first showing of Coach Joe Williams "C" squad and much interest is being shown by the members of the high school. Ed Cane's "B" squad will also play as a preliminary game for the seniors.

## Senate Favoring Strait Rail Span

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—(UPI)—The senate military affairs subcommittee has decided unanimously to report favorably the Shortridge bill authorizing the Southern Pacific Railroad to have a right of way through the Benicia arsenal. Senator Sheppard, democrat, Texas, chairman of the sub-committee, announced today.

The bill, with the favorable report, will be presented to the full military affairs committee Friday and is expected to be reported immediately to the senate for passage.

**ELECTRICAL REPORT**

Electrical Inspector Edward McLaughlin, in his monthly report to the council last night, stated that in November he had issued 66 permits and collected \$102.25 in fees.

READ IT IN THE RECORD HERALD

## MALIK SWAMP NEW DRUG CAGERS

## Malik Junior Five Defeats Hi-Y Cagers

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The lineups were as follows:

Hi-Y: (17)—Malik 2, Black 2,

Forwards: Eby 12, center: Seawright 2, Poiese 1, guards.

Malik: (12)—Viano 2, Page 2,

Weed, Mt. Shasta, Dunsmuir and Castella, fading into rain at Kenton and points south. In Trinity county, snow was reported a foot deep.

While the rain was unheralded

They report quail plentiful

## 1 DEAD, 8 HURT IN STATE STORM

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crew to clear the tracks.

A transformer caught fire

when wind blew down electric

wires at Forty-eighth avenue and Geary street. At Third street and VanDyke streets, trolley wires

were twisted by the wind and the

fire department had to be sum-

momed to clear the tangle before

service could be resumed.

Chico was marked with the

heaviest rain in the state. Up

until noon yesterday 1.55 inches

fell, raising the total of the sea-

son the 7.26, or almost an inch

over normal. Snow blanketed

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county, snow was reported a foot

deep.

Fair weather is predicted to

day.

## 14,625 Tons Of Freight Handled At Local Wharves

The Ferry Terminal corporation handled 14,625 tons of freight over the city wharves during November according to the monthly report filed with the council last night. Of this amount 6,616 tons was sugar.

The gross receipts for the month were \$6,128.60, which in-

cluded \$1,000 land rental, and the expenditures were \$3,625.24, leav-

ing a gross profit of \$2,803.32,

which will be divided equally with the City of Richmond.

The matter was brought to the attention of the council by Fred S. Newson, a member of the street committee of the Richmond chamber of commerce.

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and to Richmond's inner and outer harbor projects, and to the

Southern Pacific Ferry and Rich-

mond San Rafael ferry, and

"WHEREAS, the Board of Su-

pervisors have ordered the district

attorney and the county surveyor

to secure rights of way, and to

make plans for said boulevard,

and have appropriated money to

facilitate the immediate progress

of said highway,

"NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-

SOLVED, by the council of the

City of Richmond, that the Board

of Supervisors be highly con-

gratulated and commended for

this progressive action by the of-

ficials of the City of Richmond,

and by all of its citizens.

"AND IT IS FURTHER RE-

SOLVED, that E. A. Hoffman,

City Engineer of the City of

Richmond, be and he hereby

authorized and directed to coope-

rate with the County Engineer in

survived by a sister, Miss Nellie

Paulson, of San Francisco.

## NORTHERN HIGHWAY CUT-OFF FAVERED BY CITY COUNCIL

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ficial to the city.

"That a copy of this Resolution

be spread upon the minutes of the

City Council of the City of Rich-

mond to the Clerk of the Board

of Supervisors, and to each in-

dividual member of said board."

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attention of the council by Fred

S. Newson, a member of the street

committee of the Richmond

chamber of commerce.

## Richmond Man To Be Buried Today

Funeral services will be held this morning from the Curry par-

lor in Martinez for John Paul-

son, 62, former resident of Rich-

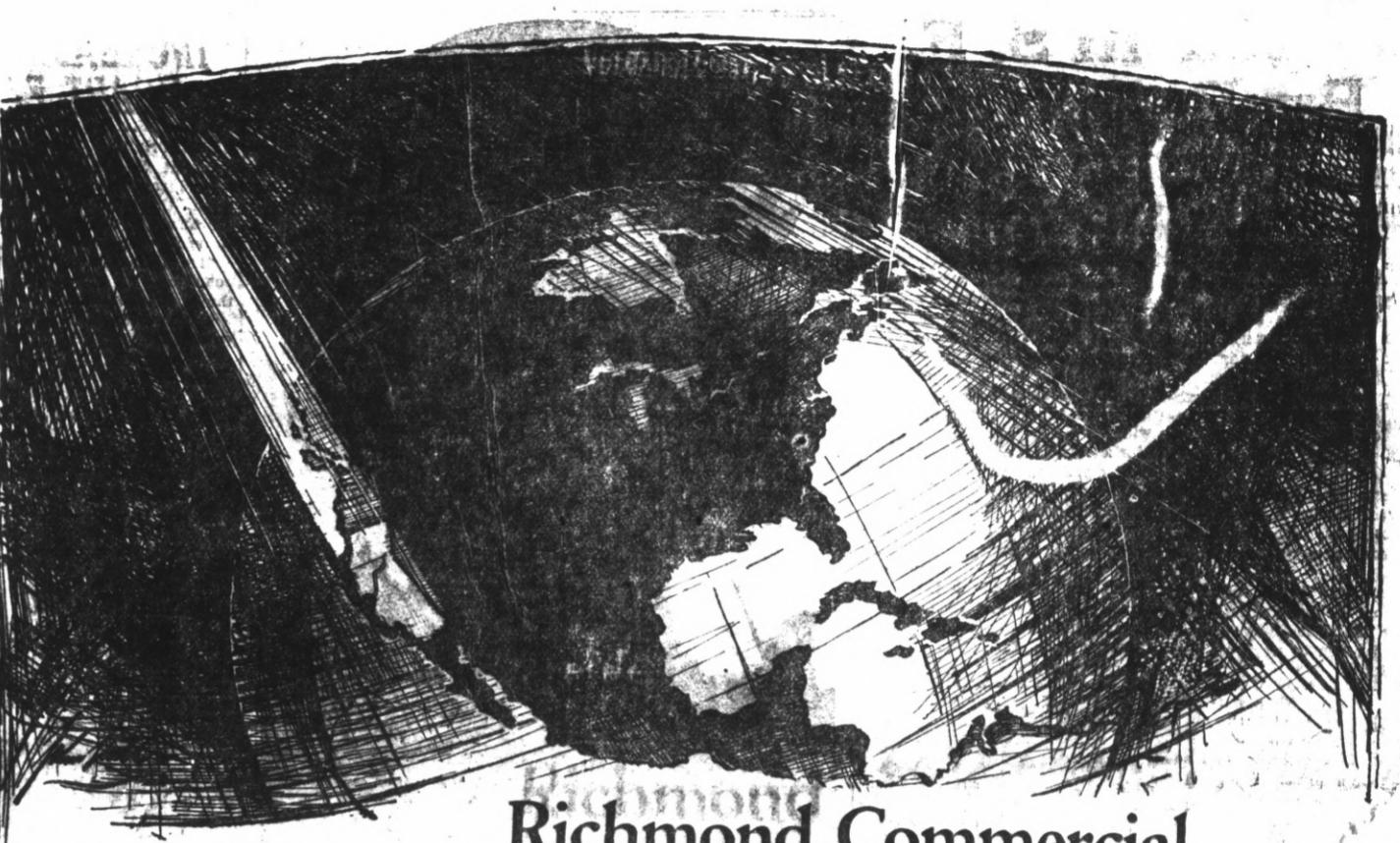
mond, who died in the county hos-

pital Dec. 6. Interment will be

in Alhambra cemetery.

Paulson is survived by a sister, Miss Nellie

Paulson, of San Francisco.



## Richmond Commercial and Savings Bank

... announces its entrance into the Bank of America of California, a consolidation of the United Security Bank and Trust Company of San Francisco, with fifty-four branches and its forty affiliated banks and the Merchants National Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles, with its thirty-five branches. This bank will continue to serve this community as a local institution, but with added facilities as an important part of a four hundred million dollar bank.

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**Society Events****NYSTROM P. T. A.  
LAWS PLANS FOR  
YULETIDE PARTY**

Final plans for a Christmas party to be held at the Nystrom school Friday afternoon were arranged at a session of the Nystrom P. T. A. home department yesterday in the home of Mrs. C. Hadsell, on South Twelfth street.

Candy bags were filled by the members of the club. These will be distributed during the program which will be under the direction of the teachers of the school.

The group will meet tomorrow afternoon at Mrs. Hadsell's home to finish work on a comforter.

**'Arene Sewing Club  
Will Elect Today**

Election of officers will be held by the 'Arene Sewing club this afternoon at the Masonic hall. The session will start at 2:30 o'clock and will be the last meeting of the year.

Hostesses of the day will be Mrs. Verlie Ford, Mrs. Ella Locke and Mrs. Edith Pearcey.

**Catholic Aid  
Whist Thursday**

The Richmond Catholic Ladies' aid society will hold a charity turkey whist party Thursday night at the Memorial hall. The games will be played in two shifts one starting at 7:15 p.m. the other at 9:15. Funds will be used for Christmas cheer cases here.

**War Mothers  
Whist Tonight**

The Richmond chapter of War Mothers will hold its turkey whist party tonight at the Redmen's hall under the direction of Muriel Jones. A turkey order, valued at \$3.50 will be given as a prize for every third table. The money derived from the affair will be used by the general fund of the chapter.

**Tahoe Council  
Turkey Whist  
Party Tonight**

The Tahoe Council, Degree of Pocahontas, will entertain tonight at a public turkey whist party in the Moose hall. A \$3 turkey order will be awarded to every third table and a \$5 order will be given as door prize.

**Legion Auxiliary  
To Meet Tonight**

Richmond unit No. 10 American Legion auxiliary, will meet tonight in Memorial hall with Mrs. Grace Browning, president, presiding. Initiation will be held followed by a social time and refreshments.

**BUILDING REPORT**

The revenue from the building inspectors office for the month of November amounted to \$77.40 and was for 46 permits for building representing a value of \$28,375.

**Club Hears  
Address On  
Bulb Care**

Various seasonal bulbs were discussed before the members of the Richmond club yesterday afternoon by Prof. J. Butterfield of the Department of Agriculture, University of California. The program which will be held in the clubhouse was under the direction of the garden department of the club. The speaker explained the care required by the various varieties of bulbs and told when each should be planted to secure the best results.

The musical program was provided by Mrs. Ralph Bergen, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Bumgarner. She sang "My Curley Headed Boy," by Couttsam and "Sleepy Hollow Tune," by Kountz.

Mrs. C. L. Holbrook, chairman of the drama section, read by request one of her original poems, "Wild Roses" and read as an encore Joyce Kilmer's "Trees."

Mrs. L. W. Wuesthoff, chairman of the garden section, presided. A covered dish luncheon will be served next Monday noon. This will be the last meeting of the club until after the holidays. Miss Bernice McCormick will be chairwoman.

**ONETAH COUNCIL  
HEARS REPORTS  
ON PAST TERM**

Reports for the term were delivered to the members of Onetah tribe of Redmen last night in Redmen hall by the clubhouse committee. Members of the committee are C. N. Williams, J. F. Church, Dan Noziglia and Muriel Jones.

A committee of the tribe and Onetah council will meet to make arrangements for the annual Christmas tree party to be held probably next week. The committee from the tribe is Frank Shubat, W. G. Casey and R. Barda. A district meeting will be held in Pinole Dec. 19.

**Yeomen Entertain  
At Whist Party**

Richmond homestead of Yeomen held a well attended whist party last night in Woodmen hall. Prizes were awarded to Dan Carpenter, Mrs. J. Anderson, and Miss Eva Craven. Bert Healey was chairman of arrangements. Refreshments were served.

The annual Christmas party of the lodge will be held next Monday night. Mrs. Joella Bonham heads the committee in charge.

**St. Edmund's Guild  
To Hear Reports**

A report on its recent bazaar will be heard by the St. Edmund's Guild at a meeting today in the guild hall at 2 o'clock. Mrs. H. J. Hill will preside.

**ONLY TWELVE more business days in which to do your Christmas Shopping! Are you going to wait until the last day—and then run somewhere and buy hurriedly? Why take chances? Shop this week—wisely! Watch the Windows.**

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**MRS. DAISY MAYO  
HONOR GUEST AT  
PARTY OF CLUB**

Mrs. Daisy Mayo was surprised at a party last night in her home by the members of the Happy-go-lucky club. The occasion was Mrs. Mayo's birthday. The evening was spent socially in playing whist and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Blanche Harley, Dr. F. R. Harley, Mrs. Nora Purviance, Mrs. T. J. Hathaway, A. L. Hathaway and Mrs. Mayo.

Among those present in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Mayo were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Allen, Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Harley, Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Dorgan, Mr. and Mrs. Marold Kneeland, Mrs. Nora Purviance, Mrs. Mildred Kneeland, Miss Margaret Mayo and Earl Mayo.

Refreshments, including a large birthday cake, were served and the honoree was presented with a gift by the members.

**Tea, Social To  
Follow Meet Of  
Peres P. T. A. Today**

A silver tea and social will follow a short business meeting of Peres Parent-Teacher association this afternoon in the school. During the business session which will begin at 1 o'clock plans will be discussed for a Christmas tree for the public.

The children of the school will present a program Friday after which there will be a Christmas tree and refreshments. The program will be directed by Miss May Prestidge, principal of the school. Mrs. Lee Fowler will preside over the business session.

**JOB'S DAUGHTERS  
INSTALL HEADS  
AT CEREMONY**

Installation of the newly elected officers of Richmond Bethel of Job's Daughters was held last night in Masonic hall. The event was attended by members of Masonic lodges and Eastern Star chapters of Richmond.

Miss Evelyn Neely was installed as queen and other officers installed were Geraldine Schoute, senior princess; Cleo Sanders, junior princess; Vivian Vaughan, guide and Doris Heaster, marshal. Mrs. M. W. Morgan, guard of the bethel, assisted. Bouquets were presented to each of the officers.

**Maple Camp Bids  
Modern Woodmen  
To Yule Party**

Maple camp, Royal Neighbors of America last night extended an invitation to the members of the Modern Woodmen of America to attend a Christmas party to be held in Memorial hall Dec. 17. The event is in charge of Mrs. May Marshall, Mrs. Anita McPherson Mrs. Grace Siple, Mrs. Mary Bonham, Miss Lenora Carpenter and Mrs. Violet Williams.

Last night the members enjoyed a social time and refreshments were served by Mrs. Lola Faurot.

**W. B. A. Rally To  
Be Held In January**

The inter-county rally of the Women's Benefit association, scheduled to be held in Oakland yesterday and today has been postponed until late in January, according to an announcement made last night. A number of Richmond members of the W. B. A. will attend the session.

**DeLaney Girls  
Feted At Party**

Beatrice and Mildred DeLaney were honor guests at a party held Sunday afternoon in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William DeLaney. The party was in observance of Mildred DeLaney's eighth birthday and her sister's fifth birthday. Among the guests were 24 of their school friends. Games were played and refreshments were served. The tables were decorated in keeping with the Yule season.

**Missionary Group  
To Meet Tomorrow**

Members of the executive board of the Macdonald Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will be entertained at a home Mrs. C. R. Alexander, 731 Pennsylvania avenue tomorrow afternoon.

**Richmond W. C. T. U.  
Luncheon Today**

Mrs. Mary Shoemaker, 1024 Barrett avenue will entertain at a public luncheon under the auspices of the Richmond W. C. T. U. today from 11:30 to 1:30 o'clock.

**PHOTO PRICES  
REDUCED**

To avoid "Specials" we are making the greatest reductions in studio portraiture prices that can possibly be made without sacrificing quality. Our policy is to use the best and do our best and guarantee satisfaction. We are going to stick to this policy. Come in and learn our new prices.

**PARKER STUDIO**

1920 Macdonald Ave.

**Mrs. C. Wolfe  
New Head Of  
Wesley S. S.**

Mrs. Charles Wolfe was named superintendent of the Wesley Methodist Sunday school board at a dinner session last night in the church parlors. Harry Kephur was named assistant superintendent; George Long, secretary; C. L. Kerns, assistant secretary; W. J. Hoskins, treasurer; Mrs. Harry Steiner, superintendent of primary department; Mrs. M. E. Hazelton, superintendent of beginners' department and Mrs. Ernest Kates, assistant.

Plans for the annual Christmas party were discussed. The event will be held Dec. 21 at the church parlors. W. J. Hoskins, W. J. Thompson and Mrs. Kates were named on the church decorating committee and W. H. Neely and George Long were named to arrange for the Christmas tree.

A dinner was served preceding the business meeting.

**Improvement Club  
Of West Side Has  
Christmas Party**

Members of the West Side Improvement club enjoyed a Christmas party yesterday at the Trinity Guild hall. A Christmas tree was featured and "Santa Claus" distributed gifts to each member.

The program presented during the day included a duet by Mrs. J. O. Redmond and Mrs. F. H. Prince; a reading by Mrs. Paul Dunlap and a piano solo by Mrs. John Downey.

Hostesses of the day were Mrs. J. B. Vloeberghs; Mrs. J. C. Eaton and Mrs. Max Henry.

The club will hold its next ses-

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Kid leather gloves presenting the new cuff ideas. Smartly stitched. In colors and all sizes.

**Overnight  
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\$9.00 to \$35.00

Smartly fitted Overnight cases of finest grain leather. Included are all the needs that an overnight trip requires. Makes a delightful gift.

**SCARFS**

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Men admire and like nice hose—Our showing complete now in every detail. Rayon and silk to wool and wool.

**SWEATERS**

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Metal Beaded Bags in a collection of wonderfully smart patterns and colors. Choice of frame styles. All richly silk lined and attractive gift needs.

**GLOVES**

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Fancy, wool coat sweaters in newest patterns and colors. Reinforced cuffs and bottoms. A wonderful gift for men.

**SANTA CLAUS  
HERE DAILY**

**50c to \$1  
XMAS  
Values  
Childrens  
Hose**

**50c to \$1.00**  
Useful gifts—Hosiery for children—new plaids and in semi-golf or three quality styles.

**Boutonnieres  
50c to \$1.00**  
Beautiful flower boutonnieres in gay colors. A choice of smartest styles.

**25c to 50c**  
Beautifully hemstitched and smartly patterned. Handkerchiefs. Newest colors are now available.

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Also boxed at—  
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**Costume  
Jewelry  
\$1.00**  
Beads, Trinkets, Bracelets Pearls, Brooch pins and other novel Jewelry that make most attractive gifts All neatly boxed special for Xmas gift giving.

**Dishes**  
**50c to \$1.00**  
Little Mothers enjoy many hours playing house and Dishes amuse and interest them.

**Wagons**  
**\$1.00 to \$8.95**  
Sturdy wood wagon at \$1.00 to \$3.95 — Husky built all metal wagons at \$4.95 to \$8.95.

**Trains**  
**\$1.00 to \$3.50**

What a lot of pleasure boys get from receiving a train. They can operate these easily and they are not expensive.

## Machine Wrecked In Pole Accident

John D. Drake, 721 Thirty-eighth street, Oakland, escaped without injury yesterday when the car he was driving skidded on the wet pavements and crashed into a light pole at the intersection of Sixth street and Cushing boulevard.

Considerable damage was done to the front of Drake's car. Several wires were broken off the pole.

Automotive products now are 14 percent of the total exports of the United States.



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**"BEWARE OF BACHELORS,"** with an All-Star Cast, is a Warner Bros. picturization of this novel.

**SYNOPSIS**

Dr. Davis, recently married to May, is having lunch with Joe Babbitt and his friend, Myra, when Babbitt calls out, "May happens into the same hotel and is furious at seeing her husband with a girl." After explanations, Davis and May make up. Myra, just naturally flirtatious, decides to warmer the acquaintance with Davis, and goes to his office to be vaccinated. She is discovered by May and Beranger-de Brie, a perfumer, who is returning some gloves May left in his shop. Another quarrel; another reconciliation. Davis is called on a "case" only to find Babbitt and Myra, who pretends illness. May, suspicious, follows Davis.

**CHAPTER X—Continued**

We learn that she had found out this much, but what should she do next? Suppose Ed had told the truth after all. Suppose the cold had been a mistake as he said. If she went up there and found that everything was all right it would make her feel extremely silly. But, on the other hand, suppose her worst suspicions were justified. Then she'd have it out with Ed then and there. She drummed her fingers on the window ledge of the car thoughtfully. But inside her mind something kept telling her to go ahead and discover the truth had come to find out. If Ed had been telling the truth, then she could say that—what could she say after that telephone conversation. The remembrance of that jazz music decided here. She opened the door, then stopped suddenly.

From the door leading to the Cafeteria came Davis, Myra leaning heavily on his arm. In the light of



I'm at the Dead Rat.

the entrance way that fell full on their faces, May could recognize the girl quite easily. So Myra—What was her name? Oh, yes, Myra Pfeiffer. She had been right, after all. She started to get out of the car, and once more she stopped. No, she wouldn't interrupt now. She knew all that she wanted to know. And she had decided what she should do. She crouched down against the seat away from the light and waited.

Davis piloted the girl to his car and helped her in. He walked around and got in himself, taking the wheel.

"Where do you live?" he demanded ungraciously.

"Broadway Place, number 1000. Myra returned weakly. "Go West, and I'll tell you how to get there from here."

Davis started his car with a jerk and rolled down the street.

He watched the car out of sight, and then she grimly turned the ignition switch. She backed on, turned around, and took the opposite direction. She knew what she was going to do now. Ed would find that two could play at that game.

Meanwhile Davis was piloting the big car through dark, narrow streets. Myra gave directions in a feeble voice. They crossed the business section of the city, and then came to quieter, wider streets where apartment houses raised their heads around old buildings inhabited mainly by artists and writers. At Macdonald Avenue they wound around a block and came to standstill before a rambling building where long, lighted windows suggested studio apartments.

"This is it," Myra announced, waiting for Davis to help her out of the car. "Would you—would you mind seeing me upstairs?" she asked appealingly.

"No, not at all." Davis grunted in a manner that definitely said that he minded a great deal. But he took the key that Myra held out to him and assisted her across the sidewalk and up the steps. He unlocked the heavy, old-fashioned door and held it open for the girl. Her arm and leg hung up that long flight of stairs. But Ed had been preoccupied thinking of what he was to tell May, and apparently he

## Radio Plant For Long Beach Denied

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—(UPI)—The Federal commission today denied the construction permit application of Bigwood W. Lippencott, Long Beach, Calif.

### AT HOTEL CARQUINEZ

Arrivals at the Hotel Carquinez yesterday and Sunday were: E. J. Thornton of San Francisco; Mrs. R. J. Keeney of Eureka; Emil Kraus of Chicago; Mrs. Juanita Rocca and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Benoit of San Francisco; M. C. Child and W. Swan of Berkeley.

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## SHOW GIRL HAS BORDER FIGHT PEPPY STAR PUT BEFORE LEAGUE IN CAST

(Continued from Page 1) in the vanguard of the national army to defend the southeastern frontier—the frontier in dispute. Six thousand youths have attempted to enroll in the army.

**GRAVE SITUATION**

From the moment that Alice White as "Dixie Dugan" enters the scene in her humble home, to the triumphant moments when she queens it as a Broadway musical comedy favorite, she is to the manner born. The stage lost a real star when Alice elected to cast her lot with the movies.

Alfred Santell, who directed the picture, showed his technical and artistic knowledge to a wonderful degree, because in the stage's big chorus rehearsals and the like, there was evidence of a real familiarity with the show business.

Charles Delaney was admirable as the sweetheart of Dixie, while Donald Reed, James Finlayson, Kate Price, Gwen Lee, Lee Moran, Richard Tucker and others gave satisfactory performances of their various roles.

One cannot highly praise the settings, especially those showing the night clubs and the girl show rehearsals. The stage effects were delightful and the number of pretty girls really startling.

"Show Girl" is forty-cylinder entertainment—with a peppy star, a clever cast and a story that provides laughs and thrills.

Don't miss it!

## ANTIOCH MAN CONFESSES CRIMES

MARTINEZ, Dec. 10—That J. J. Moore of Antioch admitted the theft of an automobile from Antioch, the looting of an Antioch hotel and participating in Los Angeles box car robberies was the statement given out today by Deputy Sheriff J. M. Joseph. Joseph declared that Moore confessed to the crimes while enroute to Martinez from Tombstone, Ariz., where he was arrested last week, Joseph returned the prisoner here.

According to Joseph, Moore admitted participating with another man and a woman who masqueraded as a man, in looting cars of the Pacific Electric System of a number of auto tires. After the confession, Joseph said, Moore led him to a cache in Los Angeles where the stolen tires were hidden. Moore declined to name his associates.

Moore is said to have admitted the theft of an automobile from an Antioch paper mill employee. He abandoned the car in Los Angeles, it is said. It was on the complaint of John Van Fosson, of Antioch, whose car Moore is charged with stealing, that Moore was arrested in the south.

Joseph also recovered a revolver, which is claimed to have been stolen from an Antioch hotel room by Moore.

"Oh, don't leave me, Doctor," she murmured. "Please don't leave me—I'm so frightened." She threw her arms about his neck, clinging to him eagerly.

Davis began to have a feeling that somehow Myra was quite as sick as she was pretending to be. He tried to disengage her from about his neck, but she only clung the more tightly. He was certain that she wasn't as sick as she seemed.

Suddenly the telephone bell rang sharply. Myra jumped to her feet with an alacrity that belied her former weakness. She plucked up the receiver, motioning to Davis to wait.

"Hello . . . yes . . . yes . . ." Dr. Davis? Yes just a moment," she cooed sweetly. "Somebody wants to speak to you, Doctor." She held out the receiver.

"Who is it?" Davis demanded sharply.

"I don't know—a man's voice," Myra lied.

Davis took the telephone. "Hello . . . yes . . . what? May?"

Myra's mouth fell open. "I know I found out," came the reply. "I know I'd find you in that girl's apartment."

"But May, I'm just leaving—she was ill!" He glanced towards Myra, and if looks could kill, Myra would have crumpled up on the floor.

But Myra had stationed herself before the door as though to block any exit. She was smiling slightly. She knew that it was the Doctor's wife—who had guessed it the moment she heard the voice over the telephone.

"Don't bother excusing yourself, Ed Davis," May continued. "Enough's enough. I've had all I can stand. You remember the old adage—'What's sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.' Well, just turn it around. If you're going to run around with other women, well, I can run around with other men."

"May! What do you mean?" Davis was shouting into the mouthpiece. "If I catch you—"

"May laughed cynically. "I mean just what I say. I'm at the Dead Rat, now, and I'm wallowing in the dregs of the village, and I'm—Are you alone?" Davis demanded.

"Alone?" May's laugh sounded clear and defiant. "Well, I'm certainly not alone. I'm here—with man."

"If I catch you—"

"I'm at the Dead Rat."

(To be continued.)

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## Radio News

6:00 to 7:00 A. M.

KPO—Health-hour.

7:00 To 8:00 A. M.

KFRC—"Simplicity Fights".

KPO—Exercises.

KFWI—7:30 Health exercises.

KLX—Hotel Oakland concert.

KGO—Eveready transcontinental program.

KLX—Exercise.

8:00 To 9:00 A. M.

KFRC—Musical recordings.

KLX—Classified Adv. hour.

KYA—Morning Glories.

KJBS—Favorite recordings.

KTAB—Recordings.

9:00 To 10:00 A. M.

KLX—Records; health questions answered.

KJBS—Popular hour.

KLX—Musical program.

KYA—Household hints.

KFRC—Georgia O. George.

KTAB—Prayer service; home economics.

10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

KLX—Health Questions answered.

Martha Lee hour.

KFRC—Wyn's Daily Chats; talk.

KFWI—Musical program.

KGO—California Home Life.

KJBS—"Cruise of the Cauliflower" program.

KTAB—Colonial Mystery hour.

11:00 To 12 Noon

KLX—Jackson Furniture Co. recordings.

KYA—Sunshine hour.

KTAB—Restful hour; recordings.

KYA—Sunshine hour.

KFRC—Home Science period; audience.

KGO—Womans Magazine on the Air; Rembrandt trio.

KJBS—Musical program.

KFWI—NBC program; Towne Crier.

KFWI—Bohemian hour.

KLX—Geo. Otto's Hawahans.

KFRC—Sherman Clay concert.

KYA—News items, music.

KTAB—Organ recital.

KFWI—Luncheon program.

KGO—Rembrandt trio.

KFO—Elijah R. program.

KLX—Jean's Hi-Lights.

KFWI—Country store.

KYA—Pacifica Salon orchestra.

KTAB—Organ; recordings.

KFO—Shopping.

KJBS—Musical program.

KFWI—The Crooners.

2:00 To 3:00 P. M.

KLX—Jackson Furniture Co. recordings.

KYA—Talk; music.

KJBS—Musical program.

KTAB—Recordings.

KFO—House of Dreams.

3:00 To 4:00 P. M.

KJBS—Peggy Bond and Monroe White.

KFRC—Concert orchestra.

KYA—Bridge Party hour.

KTAB—Recordings.

KFWI—Musical Bridge.

4:00 To 5:00 P. M.

KLX—Organ recital.

KFRC—Talk; organ recital.

KJBS—Talks; organ recital.

KGO—Concert orchestra.

KFO—Bridge Lesson.

KTAB—Elysian trio.

KFWI—Happiness hour.

5:00 To 6:00 P. M.

KLX—Brother Bob; Curtain Call.

## RAPID GROWTH FOR HARBOR PREDICTED

The east now looks to the west as the place for new manufacturing and distributing plants. Richmond may look forward to securing many new industries in the near future.

This is the message brought by Fred D. Parr of the Carr Terminal company, who has returned after a tour of the east in which he touched at 15 major cities in two weeks.

Parr declared that the time has gone by when it is necessary to locate the eastern business man to the strategic values of the west coast as a place for manufacturing. The eastern man now knows that sooner or later he must have a plant here if he is operating national or international business. Richmond, because of its location and many advantages may look confidently forward to securing its fair share of the new industrial business which must inevitably come west in the not distant future, according to Parr.

Parr received no definite information as to when the Ford Motor company will begin construction of its \$5,000,000 Richmond assembling plant, but was assured that this move merely awaits the working out of certain plans by the company at Detroit.

"I was assured," said Parr, "that Ford buys no industrial sites for purposes of speculation. He buys them to build a plant on and he does not buy them except as part of a big plan well worked out in advance. I was assured that the purchase of 70 acres of land on the Richmond inner harbor was no exception to this rule. I was recently informed that when the city of Richmond has completed all of its requirements under the agreement made with Ford, and when the Ford company has completed its plans for the new plant, we may expect developments."

"In all the cities I visited I found everybody highly receptive toward the west coast and toward Richmond. We can rest assured that Richmond will get its share of all the industries that come west. They know about us and know of the many advantages the city offers to new industries."

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Check before you buy.  
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## Anxiety Felt For King George As Heart Fails

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ace, announced that the fever was due to some return of the general infection which necessarily affects the condition of the heart."

The right bulletin said his majesty passed a quiet day and that his lungs had improved.

"The king had a quiet day. Signs in the lung have improved. Smith was appointed a deputy marshal by the council.

The plumbing bond of Charles Schwake was accepted by the council, and placed on file.

City Treasurer Cora J. Simons submitted her report for the month of November. According to the report funds on hand for the fire bonds totals \$6371.62; general fund, \$23,422.84; motor vehicle fund, \$13,347.82.

According to the monthly report of Police Judge J. F. Plank, fines for violations of the motor laws totalled \$896.80 while miscellaneous fines totalled \$229.

Building permits issued in El Cerrito, during the month of November totalled in value \$17,525, according to the report of City Building Inspector H. E. Wood.

Tax collections in El Cerrito during the month of November totalled \$11,022.83. Tax Collector R. R. Cheek reported.

The council laid over for one week the proposition of purchasing traffic arms to be placed on San Pablo avenue to be used for school traffic. A report was made by Chief of Police Ray R. Cheek that the signals would cost \$90 a pair.

The council will investigate the matter with the view of placing school boys at the crossing to act as traffic officers.

The morning bulletin said:

"Although the king passed a disturbed night, there has been some fall in his temperature this morning. There also is a slight improvement in his general condition. Anxiously, however, must continue."

## County Realtors Elect Tomorrow

MARTINEZ, Dec. 10.—Officers will be named and a brief resume of the work accomplished during the past year will feature the session of the Contra Costa Board of Realtors here Wednesday night. The session will be held at the Traveler's hotel. C. H. Hayden, president of the group, will preside.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD

Final action on an ordinance creating a city planning commission was laid over by the council for one week when Mayor Phil Lee reported that he had been unable to get in touch with a city planner to address the session.

Employment of a third traffic officer for El Cerrito was laid over for one week by the council on the request of Police Commissioner J. R. Beck.

A sum of \$8480.53 was ordered paid to the Mechanics bank to cover the registered warrants issued by the council for salaries when the city funds were low last summer.

Cora J. M. Simonson, city treasurer, was granted permission to hire an assistant for two weeks while the yearly report is being made. The cost of employing the extra help will be \$50. Mrs. Simonson stated.

Fourteen residents in the vicinity of Thirtieth and Garvin last night petitioned the council for a street light at that intersection. It was referred to the light committee.

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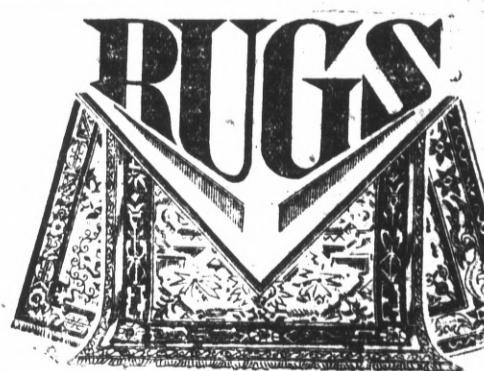
A daring new suite beautifully walnut finished. Comprises the full size bed, large size dresser and a beautiful chest of drawers.

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Bed \$19.75 Dresser, \$29.50 Vanity, \$29.50 Desk, \$22.50  
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9x12 Axminster Rugs	\$29.25 to \$52.65
8 ft. in x 10 ft. 6 in Axminster Rugs	\$39.75 to \$249.50
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24 in. x 48 in. Oval Wool Schenile Rugs	\$6.75

### Give Furniture Gifts



Corner Chairs  
**\$9.95 to \$50**

Gorgeously overstuffed models with reversible cushions. Smartly fringe trimmed.



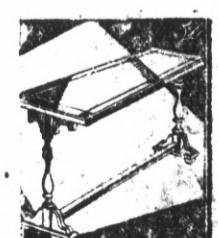
Lamps  
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Beautiful lamps complete with silk georgette shade. Smart bases and attractively trimmed.



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Walnut or mahogany finished. Some smartly hand flowered trimmed. Complete with smokers accessories.



Davenport Tables  
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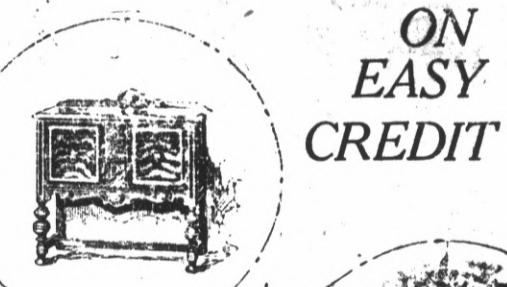
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The biggest selection of Cedar Chests in town. Some are beautifully walnut finished and hand decorated. Others are the distinctive Cedar type with smart copper trimmings. Every chest lined with the genuine Red Tennessee Cedar to assure the best of protection for the wardrobe. Choice at various prices.

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### 5 Piece Dining Room Suite



**\$60.75**

Buffet and smartly decorated china cabinets can be purchased separately as priced.  
**BUFFET**  
**\$39.75**  
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A new Tudor creation beautifully walnut finished and handsomely constructed. The suite consists of the 66 inch extension table, with walnut veneer top, and four beautiful chairs finished to match with seats covered in the popular and colorful checked tapestry. A wonderful value on easy credit.

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## IDORA PARK OF OAKLAND DOOMED

OAKLAND, Dec. 10.—Idora park, for many years an Oakland landmark will be subdivided, according to Bert L. York, vice president and general manager of the company. The park is bounded by Telegraph and Shattuck avenues and by Fifty-sixth and Fifty-eighth streets.

The property has been increasing in value each year. The park contains about 10 city blocks, or about seven acres of land. It will be sold as business and apartment house property.

Present buildings in the park area will be razed and various amusement devices and equipment sold. Property for a large building has already been cleared.

Plans for the subdivision of the property has been under consideration for a number of years it was learned. Expiration of concession leases at the end of the present year will make it possible for these plans to be carried out.

Through the Realty Syndicate company, the property will be placed on the market early next year.

Idora park was established in 1903 and was at the height of its popularity during the period between the San Francisco fire and the opening of the World War. Increase in property values, and increased taxes have hastened the demise of the park, York stated.

A number of famous theatrical and motion picture stars either made their debut or appeared at Idora park. Loh Chaney was at one time employed as a scene shifter there. Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle, Ferris Hartman, Sybil Page, Hope May, Arthur Cunningham and Harry Bishop were featured at the park.

**Mortician On Service Club Cheer' Group**

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 10—(UPI)—Larry Nurre, recently elected chairman of the Lions club sick committee to "spread sunshine" among the ailing members, wants to quit his job.

## Speaker Of 'American'



W. Y. McBURNEY, representing the mid-west, speaks the typical American language, 100 college professors have decided. Men from all sections of the country recited a bedtime story in making the test.

## Richmond Auto Injures Woman

Struck by an automobile driven by James Hadley of 255 Fifteenth street, Richmond, according to police reports, Mrs. C. W. Page, 65, of 1231 Oregon street, Berkeley, sustained a fractured left leg. The accident occurred Sunday at Sixty-third street and San Pablo avenue when Mrs. Page was attempting to cross the street. She received treatment at the Oakland Emergency hospital.

## Lions' Den Will Meet At Crockett

Richmond Lions will meet with the Crockett den Thursday noon. Due to this there will be no meeting of the local service club today. The Richmond Lions will be in charge of the program with E. H. Higgins as chairman of the committee. The meeting will be presided over by H. H. Mylander, president.

## DECISION NEAR IN ESSAY CONTEST

One of the most difficult tasks of a life time will be faced by judges of the Parr-Richmond Terminal corporations contest for the best article on "The Value of Harbor and Industrial Development to the City of Richmond. The final decision in the contest is to be made on or before Dec. 20. The articles of 500 words or less are written by Richmond high school pupils.

Among the latest contestants is Bruce Parks, high junior student who among other fine things says:

### Ideal Situation

"Richmond is ideally situated in the center of the western shore of the greatest state in the union. It is at the exact point where it is almost imperative for the location of industries. Industrial centers in the east must help in the western section of the country. There must be distributing points, assembling plants and shipping ports. Where could there be a more advantageous spot than Richmond? Wise industries have already taken advantage of its opportunities and a harbor has been built that shall some day be the stopping and starting point for ships with products from and to the entire world."

"Industry has put Richmond on the map. Keep it there by developing and increasing its harbor facilities. Without its harbor Richmond would not be the fast growing industrial city it is today. Industries have made Richmond and now it is up to Richmond to make the industries."

### Development Essential

"An industrial city will grow only as additional industry is introduced to locate. In order to secure additional industry, Richmond must have a harbor that will allow any vessel to dock. This Richmond will have under the guidance of the Parr-Richmond Terminal corporation and will take her place among other great ports of the Pacific Coast."

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## The Only and Best Gifts for Him



## HABERDASHERY Always Make a Hit

Stop worrying about what you're going to surprise him with! Stop shopping around from store to store when we make it so convenient for you to select the best gift in our store! You'll find our prices most attractive.

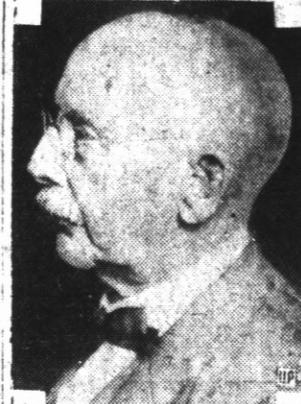
Fancy Silk Hose . . . . .	50c to \$1.00	Silk Shirts . . . . .	\$5.00 to \$10.00
Silk and Wool Hose . . . . .	50c to \$1.00	Gloves . . . . .	\$2.00 to \$5.00
Silk Ties . . . . .	\$1.00 to \$2.50	Sweaters . . . . .	\$5.00 to \$10.00
Belt and Buckles . . . . .	\$1.50 to \$5.00	Bath Robes . . . . .	\$6.00 to \$10.00
Fancy Shirts . . . . .	\$1.95 to \$3.50	House Slippers . . . . .	\$1.25 to \$3.50

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## Been On Road A Long Time



CHARLES TERRY, 92, of Atchison, Kans., the oldest traveling salesman actively "on the road" today. He represents a trade journal of Kansas City, Mo.

industrial city but a city of homes."

Lester G. Eby not to be outdone by his sister in competition for the \$75 in cash prizes, sends in a splendid article in which he says:

"When Richmond's harbor work has been completed, the city can compete with other harbors of San Francisco bay and with the direct route to the Golden Gate, will have an advantage inasmuch as vessels desiring to dock here can do so in less time than at other competitive docks."

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## SMITH ESTATE ROW SETTLED

The Alameda county superior court yesterday approved the settlement of the estate of the late Mary Smith which includes the building at Twenty-third street and Macdonald avenue, occupied by the American Trust company. Title to the property is vested in the estate.

Thomas J. Smith husband, claimed title to the property after the death of his wife and filed a quiet title suit in Martinez. The action was contested by the American Trust company as executors of the estate and won title to the property after Smith had accepted a cash settlement. Ratification of the settlement was made in Oakland where probate proceedings had been filed. Thining and Delap were attorneys for the estate.

## New Model Bus On Ferry Run

Improved travel accommodations are being enjoyed by the patrons of the Richmond Southern Pacific ferry due to the placing in service by the Key System Transit company one of its latest type buses on its line operating between Twelfth street and the ferry.

A larger number of passengers can be accommodated on the new bus which has many added conveniences. The driver's compartment, which is split off from the rest of the coach for night driving, contains controls which operate the opening and closing of both front and rear doors.

Domestic lights provide adequate illumination for the interior. The new bus should do much to increase travel over the Richmond ferry.

**BUILDING PERMIT**

E. C. Reynavaan was granted a building permit yesterday by Arthur J. Hurley, city building inspector, to remodel the interior of a building on the north side of Macdonald avenue between Fifth and Sixth streets at a cost of \$120. Charles Malini is the contractor.

**Alpha Masons To Confer Degree**

The third degree will be conferred upon a class of candidates tonight in Masonic hall by Alpha Lodge of Masons, John Coward, past master of McKinley lodge, will be in charge and a degree team from the Santa Fe railroad company will exemplify the work.

The Scotts band will play several selections and refreshments will be served. W. J. Smiley, worshipful master, will preside.

**Mrs. Neidrick In Maintenance Suit**

MARTINEZ, Dec. 10.—Suit for separate maintenance was filed in superior court today by Mrs. Minnie Neidrick of Stege against John Neidrick. Cruelty is alleged in the suit. Mrs. Neidrick asks the court to fix the amount she is to receive. According to the complaint the couple has been married 27 years and has five children, two of whom are minors. Tsar N. Calfee is attorney for the plaintiff.

**READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD HERALD**

## Left Only Shirt Studs

**Officers Deny American Toll Bridge Transfer**

Reports circulated in San Francisco yesterday that a New York holding company would acquire control of the American Toll Bridge company were denied by George Calder, vice president and engineer of the firm.

The report in circulation stated that the holding company had already acquired several large blocks of stocks but that Oscar H. Klatt, president, had kept control and had not agreed to terms of the deal.

The American Toll Bridge company operates both the Carquinez and Antioch bridges and holds a franchise for the construction of a span across San Pablo bay from Richmond to San Rafael.

**BIRTH RECORD**  
A birth certificate for Frank Jesus Lara, born Dec. 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lara of San Pablo was filed with the city health department yesterday.

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631 Macdonald Avenue, Richmond, Calif.

## The Spirit of Smartness Prevails in this Gift



### "Little Jim" Steel Bus

A heavy steel bus—24 inches long and 6½ inches high. A toy to delight any active boy.

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### Men's Mufflers For Christmas

In square and reefer styles. Plain and jacquard patterns.

\$1.49 and \$1.98

### A Deposit Holds Anything Till Christmas

There is no need to wait till the last pay day before Christmas to buy that certain gift you have in mind.

Pay a small deposit and we will hold anything you wish till Christmas. And if you like you may pay a little more next week and the week after. By Christmas the gift will be paid for and with very little trouble.

In addition you will have the advantage of choosing from a large selection which you might not have if you wait until Christmas Eve.

### Hosiery Plays a Star Role

#### On the Gift Program

Whenever there is a feminine gift to be selected, hosiery is sure to be considered. Here is a suggestion for your most particular friends.

#### Pure Silk Hose in Harmonious Colors

\$1.49

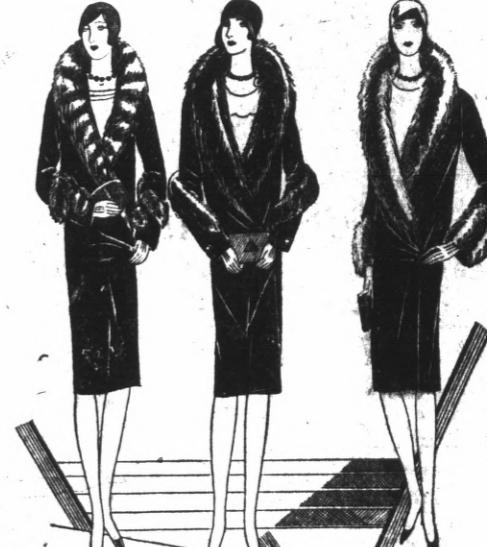
Service weight and lovely sheer chiffon—hose with lace top and sole—or fine hose, silk to the top. Here is an answer to many a gift problem.

### The New Modes in

## Coats

in a value-presentation of first importance

\$19.75 to  
\$39.75



For Women, Misses and Juniors

\$2.98

### All Wool

Lumberjack for Boys  
He's always wanted one. Why not give the boy one of our warm lumberjacks of mackinaw cloth. Has elastic worsted bottom and two button-flap pockets.

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**AVIATION**  
**HOW HOOVER SEES AVIATION**

The development of aviation in America is discussed by Herbert Hoover in the current issue of the Magazine of Business. We cite the discussion rather to illustrate Mr. Hoover's philosophy of business and its relation to government than to emphasize the progress of an important industry.

Systematic commercial aviation, he says, within a year will certainly reach a point of development in America greater than that of all Europe put together.

"Per capita we transport more than twice the goods, passengers and express transported by any European country and one third more mail per capita than the liveliest of them—and we transport over long distances. We have 7500 miles of improved national airways in regular operation, with 207 municipal airports, 163 private and commercial ports and 124 Department of Commerce landing fields."

So much for the facts. Now for Mr. Hoover's interpretation. All European governments, he says have tried to produce these results by subsidies. These he has opposed. Ours has been the American plan of government cooperation in the same way we have given it to navigation. The government has lighted the airways, furnished charts, licensed planes for safety and aviators for competence. But in general it has depended on private initiative without subsidy. "Here's your airway; now go to it," the government has said.

This is in line with the Hoover theory of "American individualism"—an individualism that means the greatest possible development of the individual under conditions in which opportunity is kept open for the man to make the most of himself.

**TRY AND STOP 'EM**

The mayor of Cotrone, Italy, has forbidden the women to wear "immodest dresses."

He says that "it is hereby forbidden within the commune of Cotrone for women to wear dresses that either on account of their excessive shortness or for having the neck cut too low or for immodest exposure of bare arms, are to be considered immodest."

All that will take place for a woman violating the mayor's rule is that she will be fined and given five days in the city jail.

Picture the mayor going about with a tape measure and a ravening eye. Imagine his extreme busyness enforcing his orders.

He is in for everything that the indignant women of his city can hand him. Already we learn in dispatches from Cotrone, the women are organizing. Women who never thought much about lifting their skirts above their shoe tops are thumbing fashion magazines. They are reacting to the fact that in most the outside world women are shortening the skirts, reducing the number and enjoying a freedom from clinging draperies that constitutes the despair of the textile trade. In all parts of the world women are building up—with some fatalities, it is true—an immunity to pneumonia.

If this mayor doesn't look out his women-folk will give him the comeback of the heroine of a yarn that we see credited to a college humor magazine—"If you crab at my showing my insteps, I will flash my step-ins."

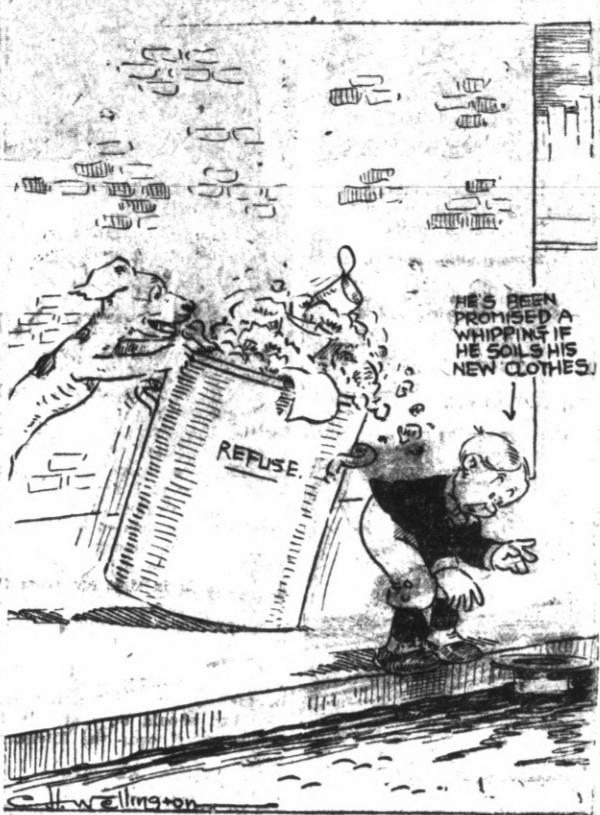
The Mexicans are in favor of the recall of public officials, but they do it with the bullet instead of the ballot.

Candidates for President 40 years hence will be boasting not that they were born in log houses, but when young they had to take their outings in humble four-cylinder cars.

It is said that the giant sea turtles live a placid existence and attain the age of 200 years. But wouldn't 200 years be a long time to live without once coming out of your shell?

**What Shall I Wear?**

BY JUDIE

**AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME**

A daytime version of chenille-dotted neckwear is seen in a collar and tie, with cuffs of black georgette with red dots.

The triangular evening scarf is worked out in black net. Also with red chenille dots.

Dear Judie,

Please give some suggestions for neckwear. I have an idea of including it among my gifts this Christmas, besides which I have two dresses to remodel, one for evening. This has a camisole neck line and looks very old-fashioned. Otherwise the dress is all right, I am partial to collar and cuff sets. Could they be of velvet? How about pique?—W. C. W.

You are wise in thinking of neckwear as a gift this season. It has been so long since a gift would be welcome that it seems doubly likely to please this year. Yes, of course it could be velvet. Chenille dotted effects on net or georgette also are spangled as well as chenille dotted and lace triangles and bandanas for evening. The handkerchief neckline

**BEAUTY**

Dear Miss Lane

I am greatly interested in your articles on beauty and hope that you can help me. I am thirty-three years old and have several wrinkles around my eyes and mouth although I massage frequently with cold cream and olive oil. What can I do to eradicate them? Can you recommend a good, but inexpensive food cream for the skin?—PANSY

If you do not care to use any of the many excellent brands of skin food on the market (many of them at lost cost) you can use either lanolin, or cocoa butter for this purpose.

After you have cleansed your face and wiped off every trace of the cream with a clean cloth or tissue designed for this purpose, apply the skin food and then, rather than massage, pat it in gently with fingertips or with a rubber pat.

Massaging is likely to stretch the skin whereas patting merely stimulates and tones it. Beginning at the chin, pat the jaw line to the ear on both sides of the face and then from the corners of the mouth to the temples. Don't use the patting around the eyes, but

merely pat gently with the finger tips, b glancing at the nose and going to the temples with an upward and outward movement.

Don't pat too hard—just vigorously enough to bring the good astrigent to tighten up the skin and help even more to smooth out those annoying wrinkles.

A movement has been started to obtain increased Federal road aid in order to keep up with the increased automobile registrations, reports the National Automobile club. Thirty-five states have given support to the movement.

JUDIE

**Cat Tales**

by Pusey



It is estimated that the final figures for 1928 will show that 45,000,000 persons took vacation tours and that they will have spent approximately \$3,500,000,000 says the National Automobile club.

More farm automobiles than farms are in use in Iowa. There are 212,973 automobiles registered in farmers names. There are 210,100 farms in the state.

In the last 10 months more than 200,000 automotive vehicles were cited for traffic violations in Detroit. They paid more than \$500,000 in fines.

By R. A. WOLKE

FROM AN OLD PAPER



DECKS CLEAN AND PREVENTING ANY LIQUOR FROM BEING SPILLED UPON THEM.—REFERRING TO THE NATIVES OF LANDS THEY MIGHT VISIT, HE SAID THEY WERE TO BE CONSIDERED ADVISEDLY AND TREATED WITH GENTLENESS AND COURTESY, WITHOUT ANY DISDAIN, LAUGHING OR CONTEMPT.

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## A RICHMOND FORECAST

The business district has begun to spread, from Sixth to Sixteenth Streets and from Chanslor to Barrett Avenues. We have every evidence of this fact before our eyes. Why the substantial Kress Building on Macdonald Avenue? Why the proposed Montgomery-Ward Building on Ninth and Nevin? Are they for the trade of today, or tomorrow? Think this over and decide to own a piece of property within this district.

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## 11—Real Estate For Sale

## BANK OFFICERS ANNOUNCE MERGERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—An announcement was made this morning simultaneously in San Francisco by Leon Bocquez, chairman of the board of the Bank of America of Calif., and in Los Angeles by S. J. Nolan, president of the Bank of America, that the Bank of America had absorbed for operative purposes the 36 cities in Southern California heretofore operated as offices and branches of the Merchants National Trust and Savings bank. Announcement was made 10 days ago of the completion of a merger of the Merchants National Trust and Savings bank and the United Security Bank and Trust company, but their consolidation for operative purposes was not completed at that time.

### New Consolidations

It was announced that the San Diego State bank, which has four branches in San Diego and branches in Encinitas, Solana Beach, and Ramona Beach will open today as the Bank of America, consolidation with that system having been completed over the week-end.

Purchase of the Richmond Commercial and Savings bank and its consolidation as the Richmond branch of the American was also announced.

### Banks Increased

These consolidations and purchases increase the number of offices and direct branches of the Bank of America of California to 133, scattered from San Diego to Dunsmuir and Arcata, and having a very complete coverage in San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco and the East Bay cities. The system also controls eight more banks which will eventually become branches but are operating as if situated at this time.

It is the belief of the officers of the Bank of America, that their organization has now reached its permanent form, and that there will be no further changes of method nor will there be any changes of consequence except in the nature of a continued expansion.

The branches taken into a system as of this date are as follows: Bell, Glendale, Huntington Park, Encinitas, Los Angeles 28 branches; Ramona, Redlands, Richmond, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, four branches and San Pedro.

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## License Enough



C. C. NAST, son of Conde Nast, publisher, with his fiance, Miss Charlotte B. Brown, leaving New York marriage license bureau.

## N. W. Carkhuff Rites Today

## Lois Lebedur Funeral Today

Funeral services for Lois Lebedur, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lebedur, 651 Thirt street will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Curry funeral chapel. Interment will be at Sunset View cemetery. The child passed away following a short illness.

### If Indian Herb

Compound does not benefit you after directions have been followed, you can get your money back at any of the agencies where you bought them.

Indian Herbs are for sale by all the local drug stores and at many other business places whose addresses are listed on the second page of the circular in each free sample given at all the local agencies. Geo. W. McPherson, resident agent for The Great American Herb Co., 607 Macdonald Ave.

LOUERIO RECOVERING  
Frank Louerio, who recently underwent a nasal operation in the Fabiola hospital, has recovered sufficiently to be removed to his home, 644 Eighteenth street.

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## DISTRICT NOW SELLING WATER

The people of the nine East Bay cities are today in full possession of the second largest water distribution plant in California following the action on Saturday at which the East Bay Municipal Utility District formally took over all the properties of the East Bay Water company.

A check for \$14,107,223.74 was drawn by the directors of the Utility District at a meeting of the board on Friday evening. Saturday morning stockholders of the East Bay Water company met and ratified the sale agreement which had been made by the officers on September 26, 1928.

Following the stockholders' meeting the directors of the Utility district met again on Saturday morning, passing the necessary final legislation for the complete acquisition of the private plant. The directors of the district, headed by Dr. George C. Pardue, president, then went to the headquarters of the Water company at Sixteenth street and San Pablo Avenue, delivered the check and took possession.

### Ten Years Work

This action placed the people of the nine East Bay cities in the water business with a gross annual income of \$4,500,000 a year. The consummation of the deal marked the conclusion of more than ten years of community effort toward the development of the new water supply and the acquisition of a municipal distribution plant. The Utility district is now in active control, operating the water business with headquarters at the Sixteenth street building, but offices will also be maintained temporarily at the old headquarters in the Ray Building.

By the terms of sale the East Bay Utility district becomes the owner of all the properties of the East Bay Water company, including 42,000 acres of land, 1400 miles of pipe, three large reservoirs—San Pablo, San Leandro and Chabot, numerous smaller reservoirs, pumping plants and all buildings, including the office building on Sixteenth street.

### Officials Present

At the ceremony of the transfer were Dr. Pardue, president of the district, Directors Al Latham, Henry A. Johnston and Frank D. Stringham; E. O. Edgeron, representing the Water company; F. W. Hanna, assistant to Arthur P. Davis, chief engineer, who represented the latter in Davis' absence, and T. P. Witschen, attorney for the district.

A check for more than \$14,000,000, made out in favor of Witschen, signed by Dr. Pardue, and John H. Kimball, the secretary, probably the largest check ever written in the East Bay, was presented to Edgeron and the deal was closed.

Closing the deal marks the climax of community effort going back to 1918 when the first serious agitation for a state law that would permit the formation of the district to develop a new water supply and operate a distribution system. Following the passage of such a law by the legislature, the East Bay Municipal Utility District was formed at an election in May, 1923.

### Mokelumne Selected

In the summer of 1924 the Mokelumne river was selected as a source of supply and in November of the same year an election was held at which the people approved \$39,000,000 in bonds to bring the Mokelumne water here. In September, 1925, the first ground was broken on the construction work for the pipe line. Work progressed rapidly.

More than 90 miles of pipe and tunnels are finished. The Pardue dam, creating a great artificial lake for the storage of water in the mountains is now a block of concrete 220 feet above the river bed and is rapidly being pushed to completion. The Pardue tunnel, which takes the water from the reservoir to the pipe line has been bored through and the concreting is being finished. The Claremont tunnel will soon be "holed through." The work on the Sequoia and Wildcat aqueducts carrying the water east and west at a high elevation along the East Bay foothills is fully up to schedule.

### To Continue Plan

Pending the delivery of the district's new mountain water supply, the district, as the owner and operator of the distribution system, will sell water in the same manner as has been done in the past by the Water company.

The local water distribution system is the second largest in California, being exceeded in size only by the one in Los Angeles. Outstanding features in connection with it are as follows:

4700 fire hydrants.  
33,000,000 gallons daily consumption of water.  
1,500,000 bills sent out each year.  
Serves 552,000 population.  
600 employees.

## "Industry Has Put Richmond On The Map—Keep It There By Increasing And Developing Its Harbor Facilities"

And Bruce Parks, junior student of the Richmond Union High School, continues to tell "The Value of Harbor and Industrial Development To the City of Richmond" in his article entered in the prize contest, awards for which will be announced on or after December 20th!

Writes young Parks: "Ever since the Standard Oil Company saw the advantages afforded by Richmond and wisely chose it for its great plant, Richmond has prospered."

"If there were no harbor and shipping facilities in Richmond, there would be no industry."

"Harbors bring industries, the industries bring people and the people in turn bring more industries."

"Industries have made Richmond, now it is up to Richmond to make the industries."

Five cash prizes—\$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5—will be distributed to the winning contestants on or about December 20th by the Parr-Richmond Terminal Corporation. The judges of the contest are: Mayor Mattie Chandler, W. T. Helms, Superintendent of Schools; P. M. Sanford, president of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce; Aubrey Wilson, president High School Board; E. B. Bull, president of the Tax Ass'n. of Contra Costa County; C. S. Regwick, representing Rotary; Ralph N. Bergen, representing Kiwanis; G. E. Milnes, representing Lions; Fred D. Parr.

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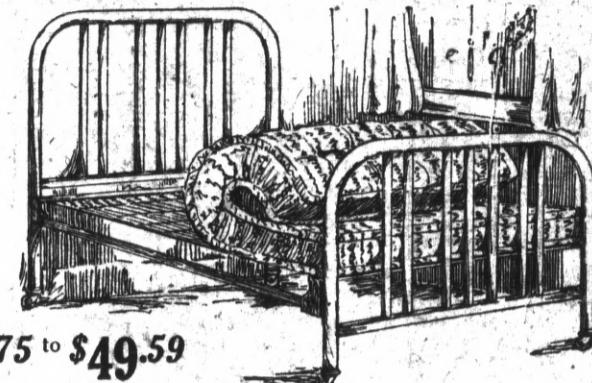
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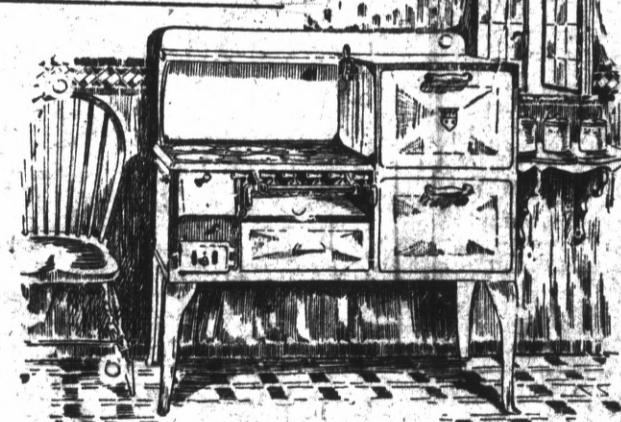
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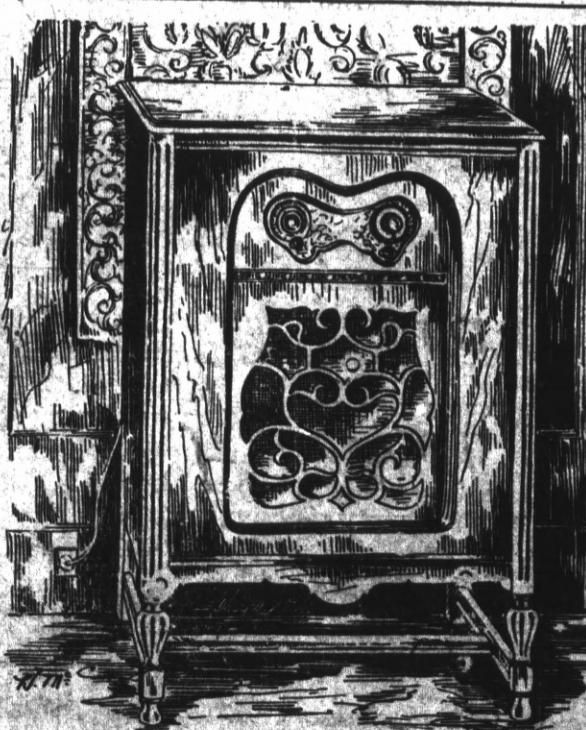


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